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**REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)
UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114**

Applicant: Lubbert, Hermann
Application Number: 09/830,703
Filing Date: April 26, 2001
Title: TRANSGENIC ANIMAL MODEL
FOR NEURODEGENERATIVE
DISEASES
Examiner Name: Qian, Celine X.
Group Art Unit: 1636

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(Date)

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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Mail Stop RCE
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application.

1. Submission Required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114:

- (X) Enclosed:
- (X) Amendment/Reply
- (X) Return Postcard

2. Miscellaneous:

- (X) Declaration under 37 C.F.R. § 1.132 of Hermann Lubbert in 3 pages with Exhibits 1-7.
- (X) Exhibit A - Curriculum Vitae of Hermann Lubbert in 7 pages.

3. Fees:

- (X) RCE fee (\$385 small entity)
- (X) Extension of Time fee:
- (X) Three Months (\$475.00)

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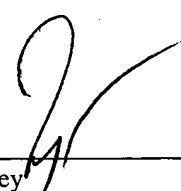
4. Payment:

- (X) Check in the amount of \$860.00 to cover the above fees.
- (X) The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 and § 1.17 which may be required, now or in the future, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 11-1410.

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Mail Stop RCE

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed November 20, 2003, and Examiner's Interview conducted on June 28, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Summary of Interview begins on page 6 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.